

James Mio '96

High School Assistant Principal

Education

Shrine High School Graduate, 1996

B.F.A. in Theater, University of Detroit Mercy, Detroit

Teacher Certification, Eastern Michigan University, Ypsilanti

M.A. in Educational Leadership, Madonna University, Livonia

Endorsements

Provisional Certificate: Teaching Speech and Communication Arts, Grades 6-12

Provisional Certificate: Teaching Reading, Writing, and Literature, Grades 6-12

Teaching Experience

Shrine Catholic High School & Academy, English, Drama and Acting Teacher since 2001-2014

Hazel Park High School, Student Teacher, English and English Electives

Wayne State Public Schools TREE program educator, Drama courses

Dearborn Community Center Summer Theater Arts Program Director

Club/Activities

Student Leadership Executive Congress (SLEC) Moderator

Shrine Gamer's Club Moderator

Extracurricular Activities

Shrine Nicaragua Mission Trip Leader and Mentor, 2013 to 2014

Shrine International Student recruiting trip to China, 2012

Shrine Fine and Performing Arts Summer Camp Drama Director, since 2002

Personal Statement

I started teaching at Shrine with only my acting career and directing basics to guide me. Through meeting the wonderful families and the accomplished faculty of the Shrine community, I have expanded my knowledge, and connected with my students more than a varied 8th Grade Drama production. Speech is my favorite class as students will explore more of themselves in each presentation and we breakdown the process of public speaking together. English IV is always eye-opening for me as the seniors begin to apply reading and writing to real-world situations and college's looming challenges. Shrine Knights Rule!

